## ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

ACE U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

ASTM American Society for Testing and Materials

BCCE Bradford Conrad Crow Engineering
BPRD Biomass Power for Rural Development

BTU British thermal unit CAA Clean Air Act

CEQ Council on Environmental Quality

CO<sub>2</sub> carbon dioxide

CRP Conservation Reserve Program
CVBP Chariton Valley Biomass Project

Chariton Valley RC&D Chariton Valley Resource Conservation and Development, Inc.

dBA decibel, A-weighted

DNR (Iowa) Department of Natural Resources

DOE U.S. Department of Energy

DOT (Iowa) Department of Transportation

EA environmental assessment
EIS environmental impact statement
EPA U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

FSA Farm Service Agency

FWS U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
GIS Geographic Information System

GtC gigatonnes of carbon IUB lowa Utilities Board

kV kilovolt MW megawatt

NAAQS National Ambient Air Quality Standards NEPA National Environmental Policy Act

NPDES National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System

NREL National Renewable Energy Laboratory

OGS Ottumwa Generating Station

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Act or Administration

PCPI per capita personal income

 $PM_{10}$  particulate matter with a diameter of 10 microns or less

PSD prevention of significant deterioration SHPO State Historic Preservation Officer USDA U.S. Department of Agriculture

USGS U.S. Geological Survey VOC volatile organic compound